IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT

THE CHEROKEE NATION, Plaintiff, v. RAYMOND NASH, LARRY WASSON, ROBERT ALLEN, KATHY WASHINGTON, LISA DUKE, AND MEL MARTINEZ, SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR, Defendants.	Case No. 09 CV-052 TCK PJC

MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE

Comes now the undersigned attorney, Ralph F Keen II, who moves the court for temporary admission, *pro hac vice,* in the above matter and in support thereof would show the Court as follows:

1. Counsel has made application, and has been approved for admission to the Northern District of Oklahoma by reciprocity, and is presently scheduled to be sworn in on May 6, 2009.

2. In the interim, counsel has need for temporary admission, *pro hac vice,* in the above cause for the purpose of entering his appearance, filing responsive pleadings, and representing the interest of his clients relating to the claims therein contained.

3. Attached hereto and incorporated into this motion is a Request for Admission *Pro Hac Vice,* as required by LCvR83.2(g).

4. Movant further requests the Court waive any applicable filing fee for admission *pro hac vice,* in deference to the $200.00 admission fee previously submitted to the Court.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, the undersigned counsel prays that the Court waive the normal filing fee and grant his temporary admission *pro hac vice* in the above matter, until such time counsel is fully admitted to the Northern District of Oklahoma.

Respectfully Submitted:

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that I mailed true and correct copies of the Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice by first class mail, with sufficient postage affixed, on March 5, 2009 to the following:

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REQUEST FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE
(to be attached to Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice)

I hereby request admission to the Bar of this Court PRO HAC VICE in support of which I represent that the answers to the following questions are complete, true, and correct:

1. Full Name: Ralph F Keen II

2. State bar membership number: OK 17077

3. Business address, telephone and fax numbers: 205 West Division, Stilwell, OK 74960; (918) 696-3355 & (918) 696-3576 fax.

4. List all state and federal courts or bar associations in which you are a member "in good standing" to practice law: Oklahoma; Arkansas; Western District of Oklahoma; Eastern District of Oklahoma; Cherokee Nation.

5. Have you been denied admission, disbarred, suspended from practice, reprimanded, denied "in good standing" status, or otherwise disciplined by any court, bar association, grievance committee or administrative body?
   Yes ☐ No ☒

6. Have any proceedings which could lead to any such disciplinary action been instituted against you in any such bodies?
   Yes ☐ No ☒

(Please attach a statement explaining any "Yes" answers to questions 5 or 6.)

7. Are you familiar with the Federal Rules of Evidence, the Federal Rules of Civil or Criminal Procedure (as applicable to this case) and the local rules of this court?
Yes ☒ No ☐

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